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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting of the Joint Logistics Planning Committee (Commo)

CONVENED: 1:30 p.m. 15 Dec 1955

ADJOURNED: 3:55 p.m.

PRESENT: [] CB/PD - Acting Chairman

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1. Protection of Government Sterile Procurement Channels in the Purchase of Equipment Having Serial Numbers.

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a. [] proposed this problem to the Committee for discussion.

[] of Commo recognized this problem and said that a Staff Study is being undertaken within the Office of Communications.

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b. [] asked the Commo advise the Procurement Division of any prior contact with the vendors if the requirement is for Government Sterile items. [] (Security Officer for CC/EE-P2D)

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said that he would publish instructions to personnel within his office to prevent, where possible, pre-contract or pre-procurement contact with vendors, or what procedures shall be followed in the event contact must be made for technical reasons, or if contact has been made without the Security Officer's knowledge.

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c. [] Liaison Officer for MSB/Commo brought the problem to the attention of the Committee that he knew that the Corps of Engineers have developed a new type generator, and that he wished to know the availability of this item from commercial sources, without revealing the Agency interest in the item. The Committee referred [] to the Office of Logistics Planning Staff Library which has facilities for making pre-contract inquiry.

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2. General Discussion - MSB

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[] said that the third quarter procurement for MSB was running according to schedule. [] asked [] if the

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fourth quarter schedule will be []. [] replied that all but one item of the fourth quarter procurement will be cancelled, but that [] of the first and second quarter will be carried over to the

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fourth quarter. [] further stated that there is the possibility that the carry-over will fall into both the third and the fourth quarters. It is interesting to note that the second half of the FY will result in fewer procurement actions, but will represent more in dollar value, according to the present trend.

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3. Contract []

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[] proposed this subject to the Committee, but in his absence, [] advised the Committee that it was the intention of the Office of Communications to expand the contract to include Schedule "C" in March 56. It was noted by [] that during the time that the contractor was working on this contract, a priority project requirement was placed upon the contractor by the Agency, thus causing considerable delay in the performance of [] said that [] will resume performance in January 1956 and this date meets with the approval of Commo.

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Having no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned.

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Secretary to the Committee

APPROVED:

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